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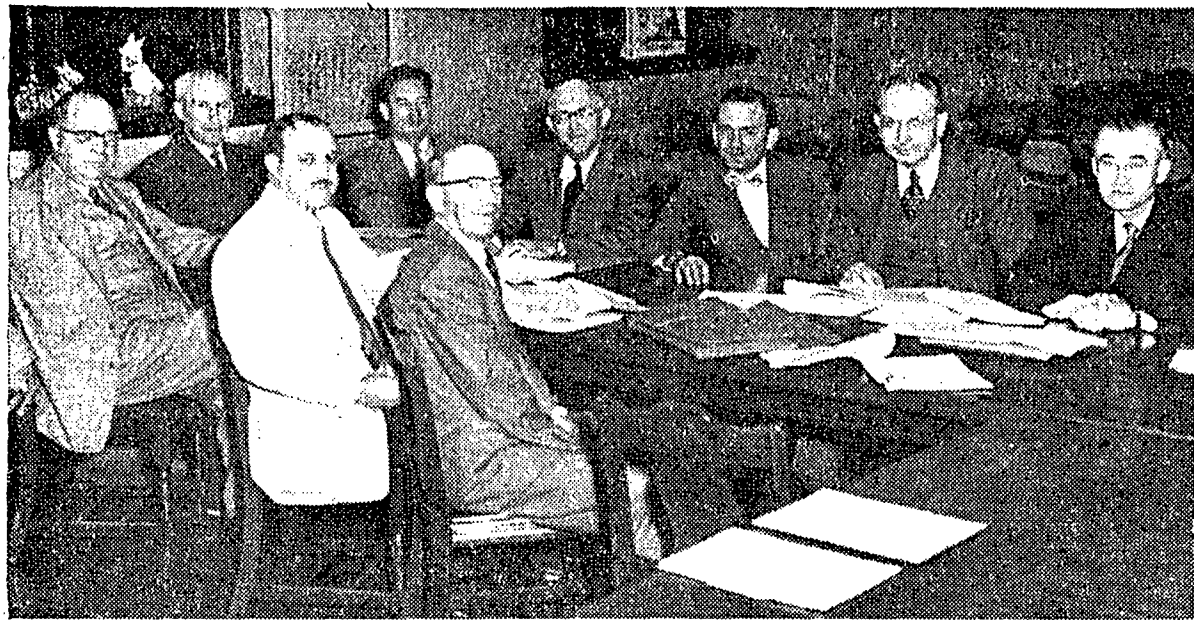
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Nominate Your
Queen Tomorrow!

Visitation Group Commends College on Many Point



Northwest Missouri State College was visited last quarter by a group of educators who were representing the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education and who were helping to carry out the Association's intervisitation program. Designed to aid in improving teacher education, the visitation schedule included conferences with administrators and faculty, observation of classes, and meetings with students. Those who made the visit are pictured above, clockwise around the table: Dr. C. F. Scotten, County Superintendent of Schools, Sedalia, representing the Missouri State Commission on Teacher Education; Dean Rudolph D. Anfinson, Eastern Illinois State College, Charleston, Illinois; President Robert G. Buzard, Eastern Illinois State College, Charleston, Illinois; President Ross H. Hughes, Kansas State Teachers College, Pittsburg, Kansas; Dr. Roscoe Schaupp, Eastern Illinois State College, Charleston, Illinois; Dean Hobart F. Heller, Eastern Illinois State College, Charleston, Illinois; Dr. Paul Bartolini, Kansas State Teachers College, Pittsburg, Kansas; Dr. Emory Kennedy, Kansas State Teachers College, Pittsburg, Kansas; Dean Ernest Mahan, Kansas State Teachers College, Pittsburg, Kansas.

Visitation Group Recommends State College for Continued Recognition in the National AACTE

Representatives Commend Curriculum Patterns, Student, Administration, Staff Relationship

A favorable report regarding Northwest Missouri State College has been submitted to AACTE national headquarters by representatives of the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education.

In an over-all evaluation the visitation group thought that the curriculum patterns of this college were excellent and especially praised the general education program required of all students.

Good Relationship

The professional visitors were also impressed with the splendid relationship which exists between the administration and staff and the students.

In addition they concluded that this school has a well-defined administrative policy and faculty organization.

They were impressed with the democratic organization of the faculty as shown through the Faculty Council, an elective body composed of twelve members of the faculty. The group thought the Faculty Council noteworthy in that it possesses real authority with which to govern that body.

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Praise Self-Government Plan

High praise for the personnel work in the Men's Quadrangle was a significant part of the report. The plan of self-government in the quads by the Quad Council and the democratic spirit which exists among the men were recognized as being very good.

Other activities which the group thought good were the freshmen orientation programs and the orientation publications such as "Read n' Digest," "Student Handbook," "Guide Book to Living in the Men's Quad," and "Varsity Villager Handbook."

book."

Commend Program

The AACTE group also commended the College because of the devotion of faculty and students to a program of teacher education. The College was recommended for continued recognition in the AACTE.

Dr. Rees H. Hughes, president of Kansas State Teachers College, Pittsburg, Kansas, was accompanied by the following members of his faculty: Ernest Mahan, dean of instruction; Emory Kennedy, director of guidance; and Paul Bartolini, head librarian.

With Dr. Robert Guy Buzard, president of Eastern Illinois State College, Charleston, Illinois, were Hobart F. Heller, dean of instruction; Dr. Rudolph D. Anfinson, dean of men, Roscoe Schaupp, head librarian.

Also making the professional visit were Irvin F. Coyle, director of Teacher Education Certification and Curriculum in Missouri, and C. F. Scotten, county superintendent of schools, Sedalia.

Students Nominate Candidates Tomorrow

Don't Rush Into a Panic, Mac; You Can Be Deferred 'Til June

According to Selective Service System release Number 51, Director of Selective Service, Major General Lewis B. Hershey, says that a student "shall be deferred upon presenting the facts that he is satisfactorily pursuing a full-time course at the time the order of induction is issued."

Air Force Will Give Big Dance Friday Night

Dutch Young Will Play In Return Engagement

Since the Air Force Squadron Dance in September, many who attended have asked about having another one. The wishes have finally come through and on January 25, the 3475th School Squadron here at Northwest Missouri State College will have a semi-formal dance in Rooms 113 and 114 in the Administration building from 8 to 12 p.m.

This dance will be another evening of entertainment by Dutch Young and his six piece orchestra from St. Joseph. After his playing for the first Squadron Dance, the Air Force decided to request a return engagement.

Airmen will invite friends on the campus to attend the dance as their guests. Dress will be semi-formal. The airmen of 3475th School Squadron will be in winter blues with bow ties.

The rooms will be decorated with more than one thousand balloons, crepe paper, and cut flowers. The decoration committee will be directed by Lt. Cletus T. Pajot, assisted by Staff Sergeant James W. Tabler. Refreshments will be served at the dance under the direction of Cpl. Wilbur N. Todd and Cpl. Russell D. Pickett. Guest tickets will be collected at the door by Cpl. Dale D. Milburn and his assistants.

The 3475th School Squadron would not want anyone to miss this affair because this will be the last dance presented on the campus before the deactivation from Maryville sometime in the early part of 1952, as stated by Sgt. Lawrence E. Moch who is in charge of publicity for this affair.

"A student who is ordered for induction should not be thrown into a panic. All that is necessary is for him to request the Dean or Registrar to immediately file his local board official notice that he is a full-time student doing satisfactory work and that such work actually commenced prior to the date the order for induction was mailed."

Recent amendments to the Selective Service Law provide that students are to be deferred instead of having their induction postponed. They will, therefore, have ample opportunity after the completion of their academic year to enlist in the service of their choice.

If a student has never been deferred before, he would be put in Class 1-S until the end of his academic year, but he could receive only one such deferment. Students may be placed in a Class 2-S at the discretion of their local boards, if after having received one deferment they wish to continue on with school.

"A student who receives a 1-S deferment until the end of his current academic year may in some instances receive a 2-S deferment for the next year. If during the academic year his work was such that he is in the prescribed upper portion of his class, or if he takes the Selective Service College Qualification Test and makes a score of 70 or better, the local board can consider him for a 2-S deferment for the following academic year."

Local boards, however, may still use their discretion in granting a 2-S deferment, although general policy is that students meeting either or both criteria will be deferred. "Whether a man is classified 1-S or 2-S, it is a deferred classification, and not a postponement of induction. At the end of the academic year, the local board must reopen the classification to determine whether he qualifies for any classification other than 1-A."

"Following the period the local board is reconsidering his case, a student has the right, if he is not deferred for another year, to enlist in the service of his choice, and his right to enlist in the service of his choice continues until he is ordered to report for induction."

WSSF Committee Launches Drive, Asks Student Aid

The World Student Service Fund, which provides aid to college students abroad, will be sponsored as usual by the Student Senate in conjunction with a specially appointed committee.

Several schemes for raising money are anticipated. February 16 a work day will be held. Maryville merchants will be asked to provide jobs for which students may volunteer. Wages earned during the day will be donated to W. S. S. F.

Must Contribute Ten Per Cent
For the duration of the drive all organizations which sponsor a concession at a basketball game or a food sale in the halls must contribute ten per cent of the proceeds to W. S. S. F. Organizations are also requested by the Senate to follow this procedure all through the year.

Wednesday, February 13, an assembly featuring a foreign film will be presented by members of the committee. A combination rummage and bake sale is also planned for the near future.

All the college and high school students will be given an opportunity to donate to the fund.

Members of this year's committees and the work they will do are as follows: publicity, Bill Ogden, Max Miller, "Bud" Kysar, Norma Cushman, Herschel Nell; assembly program, Wilbur Wright, Kay Sawyer, Barbara Roush, Pat McClaren. Foreign film, Dr. Sterling Surrey, Dick Gordon, John Koffman; collecting ten per cent, Beatrice Straight, Jean Long; rummage and bake sale, Dorothy McCartney, Lucille Steinhilber, Kathleen King, Mary Ellen Daniels, Wayne Boydston; work day, Ray McClaren, Barbara Hudson, Harry Yungshlager, Mary Jo Vernon, Pat Shepperd, Bob Conley, Marilyn Litton, John Yur-chak; contacting high schools, Stan Ogden, Charlene Kline.

Reported Missing



DONALD HOFFMAN

Lt. Donald Hoffman Is Listed Missing

Pilot Was on Mission Over Enemy Territory

A shocking nearness to the Korean battlefield was handed the students of Northwest Missouri State College when they heard that Lieutenant Donald Hoffman was reported missing in action on December 8.

Don, a F-51 Mustang fighter pilot, is the first former Maryville student to be reported missing.

Enlisted in 1951

He enlisted during the spring quarter of 1951 and on June 22 received his wings at Craig Air Field, Alabama. He underwent gunnery training at Luke Air Field, Phoenix, Arizona, and left San Francisco, California, for the Pacific on November 17.

Lt. Hoffman was married on July 18 to Jeannine Glass of Alabama.

Was With Bomber Squadron
In a letter from their son's commanding officer, Brig. General T. C. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Hoffman, 917 Washington Street, Waukegan, Illinois, were informed that Lt. Hoffman, on active duty with the 18th bomber squadron, left the Heegong airdrome, Korea, on a pre-briefed close support mission against enemy positions in the area of the present battle line on December 8.

"He was a member of a four-ship flight of F-51 Mustang aircraft," General Rogers wrote. "Your son made one run over a designated target and reported that his napalm tanks did not release. As he attempted a second pass over the same position, he lost his right napalm tank and went into a spin, failed to recover and disappeared into a low layer of clouds."

"Smoke and flame shot up through the clouds and other members of the flight circled the area only to discover the aircraft completely destroyed. No signs of life could be observed, and since the locality is controlled by the enemy, this is all the information we have at the present time."

"Although Lt. Hoffman has been with this organization only since November 23, he had shown outstanding courage and devotion to duty and was flying his seventh combat mission against the enemy when he was reported missing in action."

"While I realize that no words of mine can bring you consolation, I should like you to know that the officers and airmen of this wing share your concern during this period of anxiety."

Opposite Sex Will Vote High Three as Yearbook Finalists

Coronation of King and Queen, and Dedication Ceremonies Will Be Made at Dance, February 9

Sponsored by the Tower Staff and the social committee, the annual Tower Dance will be held Saturday, February 9, from 9 p. m. to 1 a. m. in rooms 113 and 114.

Candidates for Tower king and queen will be selected by the entire student body January 24 from 8 until 4 p. m. in the Bearets' Den. Each boy will nominate one girl and each girl will nominate one boy.

Paul Doktor Gives Assembly Recital

Paul Doktor, lecturer in viola and chamber music at the University of Michigan, will present a recital in the College auditorium today at 10 a. m.

Mr. Doktor's repertoire includes many classical, romantic, and modern sonatas, concertos, and solo pieces, and he often combines his recitals with informal comments on his programs, composers, and the viola itself.

In addition to the assembly this morning, Mr. Doktor will meet with music classes throughout the day.

Amateurs Will Compete To Aid March of Dimes

In connection with the annual drive of the March of Dimes, an amateur show will be presented in the College auditorium, January 30. Amateur talent from all over Nodaway County will compete for a first prize of \$75.

The show is to be sponsored by the March of Dimes and the Chamber of Commerce. Lyle Martin, Sam Ingles, Jimmy Cook, and Bill Hull will emcee this show. Any College student may enter by filling out an application blank to be found in the Daily Forum.

Will Feature Mobiles

With "The Moderne" as the theme, decorations will feature metallic paper mobiles hanging from the ceiling and abstract designs in bright paper outlining the doors between the rooms.

A modernistic poster will be constructed behind the orchestra. Betty Reeves, as art editor of the 1952 Tower, heads the decoration committee with Pat O'Neal, Bill Baldwin, Harley Hackett, Dick Oakerson, Merlyn Allen and Alice Arbuckle assisting.

Committees
Other committees are as follows: Mary Ellen Daniels, Mary Jane (Continued on Page Four)

Play of Noah's Famous Ordeal Will Be in Fairy Tale Manner

Cast Begins Assiduous Practice; Mr. Fulsom Is Director of Andre Obey's Great Fantasy

"Noah," the major production of the College speech department this quarter, will be presented February 18 and 19 at 8:15 p. m. in the College auditorium, under the direction of Mr. Ralph E. Fulsom.

This fantasy by Andre Obey dramatizes the story of Noah's famous ordeal in the manner of a fairy tale. Noah, his wife, his three sons, and three of the neighbors' girls embark with the animals on God's ark in the hope of a brave, new world.

There Is Rejoicing, But—
When at length the rain is over the beauty of the great waters fills them with rejoicing. But the canker of the old world has crept on board in Ham, the youngest son. He stirs up doubts, misgivings, and skeptical questions.

"Noah" becomes the story of a kindly, simple old man who grows lonely in his faith, who pilots his craft safely to shore in the midst of doubts, and who is rudely deserted by the young folks the moment they touch foot to land.

Noah's Question Is Answered
In the bleakness of his old age, on the damp earth of a cold land, Noah shouts at the heavens, "Are you satisfied?" The answer is a rainbow curving down the sky.

Eddie Wolitz as Noah will carry the lead. Other members of the cast are Mama, Pat O'Neal; Japhet, Max Dixon; Shem, Richard Jenkins; Ham, Lynn Adams; Sella, Louise Novinger; Ada, Melva Hots; Norma, Jacky Donaldson; and the Hunter, Donald French. Miss Mary Marie Schulte will play the organ accompaniment.

Cast Is Completed
Those taking the parts of the animals are Jim Hogan, lion; Earl Derks, elephant; Bernard O'Dell, tiger; Mary Rhodes, lamb; Bill Hunter, bear; Roberta Cronkille, monkey; Rika Swearing, cow, and Joan Cartwright, wolf.

Members of Mr. Fulsom's play production class will manage all the technical details of the production as class projects. These include building scenery, spot lights, and scene projectors, designing costumes, constructing paper mache animal heads and designing their costumes, and lighting.

These students are Betty Elmsinger, Ray Nixon, Lynn Adams, Bill Davis, Charles Watson, Curt Gaffnes, William Hunter, and Homer Baxter.

Tickets will be 50 cents each for adults and children. Students may obtain admission with their activity cards.

Staff Accelerates Plans for Greater Tower Dance



Nomination of Tower Queen candidates tomorrow will be the first visible sign of the detailed planning which has been done by the 1952 staff to make this year's Tower Dance as big a success as usual. Members of the staff are as follows, left to right: front row, Mary Ellen Daniels, Merlyn Allen, Joe Collier, Mildred Maxon, Betty Reeves; second row, Mr. Howard Ringold, Mary Jane Peck, Harley Hackett, Betty Elmsinger, Alice Arbuckle, Dick Oakerson. Mr. Ringold is the adviser.

Program for Training Teachers Provides for Pre-School Center

by Thelma Buckley

Northwest Missouri State College has gained notable attention in education circles since the addition of a nursery school to the system in 1939. This college is the only teacher training institution in the state with such a school. The solarium of the dormitory was the first home of the nursery school. It remained there for two years, and

Parents' Day Will Be Held In March

Parents will be the guests of the College during Parents' Day, Friday, March 21, from 1 to 9 p. m.

All classes will be shortened to meet at half hour intervals during the morning to make it possible for students to serve as guides and hosts to their own parents during the afternoon.

Included in the afternoon's program will be the registration of parents from 1 p. m. to assembly time at 8 p. m. and the display of departmental exhibits.

Students Operate Television Firm

The Television Engineering Company, 1318 East First Street, Maryville, has been formed and will be operated by students and graduates of the College. Officers are Dwan T. Wick, president; George I. Williams, vice-president; and Virginia C. Hamman, secretary-treasurer.

George Barrett, George Bunch, Cal Goeders, Elvin Long, Robert Miller, and Adrian Weigart are associated with the company.

Dr. D. M. Cooper, of the department of physics, is research consultant, and Dr. Sterling Surrey, chairman of the department of business, is business consultant.

Mr. Wick says that the principal business of the company will be to supply services to television, radio, and electronic dealers in northwest Missouri and southwest Iowa.

In 1941, the school was moved to its present location, the Horace Mann Laboratory School.

Enrollment Limit Is Twenty
Enrollment in the nursery school has always been up to capacity. A limit of twenty children is set up with the added limitation that the child must be four years old before Christmas. This gives an age range in the nursery school of from three and one-half to five years.

In comparison with the nursery school the kindergarten of the laboratory school is slightly older, for it was founded in 1930. Like the nursery school, the kindergarten enrollment has always been up to capacity but here the limit is set at twenty-five children. The child must be five years old before Christmas, thus giving an age range of from four and one-half to six years in this group.

Pre-school Years Are Important
Psychologically, the pre-school years are the most valuable years in the life of an individual. During this time the basic features of personality and living are formed. Here the child learns his first social habits as he learns to live with people of his own age.

As the child comes into the grades, social adjustment is made easily because of this pre-school training. Studies have proved that there are few failures in the grades from those who have had pre-school training. A readiness for language, reading, and writing has been developed in the child to make this result possible.

Training Develops Child
Miss Chloe Millikan, director of Early Childhood Education, says, "The chief objective of the pre-school program is the all around growth and development of the whole child—physically, emotionally, socially, intellectually."

An important aspect of the pre-school system is the close cooperation between the home and the school. Instead of a P. T. A. system, parent study groups meet to

Here's Cooperation That Satisfies



Being in life-like surroundings while working and playing is an important feature of the nursery at Horace Mann Laboratory School. Equipment is made to fit the pre-school development of the child. Seated, left to right: Dickie Hotchkiss, Suzette Knitil, Julie Gibson, Joe Cornelson. Standing left to right: Dixie Lee Clouse, Cheryl Jobe, Lynn Farrar.

discuss the problems arising at certain age levels.

Conferences Are Held
In this system grade cards are not issued to the children. Reports on the children consist entirely of conferences with the parents.

The physical well-being of the child is of major importance in this pre-school system. Before the child comes to school he receives a complete checkup by his physician which includes checking on eyes, ears and immunization. In addition to this the Horace Mann nurse conducts a daily inspection of the children. If the child shows signs of not being well, the parents are called and the child is sent home.

Nurse Makes Daily Inspection
During the day there is a balance of activity and quiet periods. The day of the pre-school child begins at 9:30 a. m. with the daily inspection by the nurse. A work period followed by a clean-up period is next on the morning's schedule. A mid-morning lunch and rest period follow which provide a time for quiet and relaxation. Music, rhythm, and stories end the morning's activities and the school day. If the weather is good the children play outside on a well equipped playground.

Lunch is served to the nursery school as part of their educational program. The kindergarten children receive their lunches at home.

Serves As Observation Center
The nursery situation exists specifically for teacher education purposes. It is kept as an observation center for those who are preparing for kindergarten and primary positions.

Miss Chloe E. Millikan has had supervision and direction of the pre-school education program from its beginning. Its steady growth bespeaks the strength of her leadership and vision.

Faculty Will Present Program
Faculty of the Division of Music will present their annual assembly program in the College auditorium Wednesday, February 6, at 10 a. m.

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ACCEPTANCE OF MEDIOCRITY

One unfortunate circumstance arising from our modern civilization is, I feel, the widespread acceptance of mediocrity as a standard in every phase of personal endeavor.

Occupational commitment is woefully lacking among those who plan to enter professional and semi-professional fields. The philosophy of "getting by" is being more and more accepted. Even of those who are preparing for a most important responsibility—the training of the nation's children—some are content to slide through their preparatory studies with the least possible effort.

Too many persons, because they are incapable of disciplining themselves to the expenditure of a maximum effort and to the overcoming of difficulties, are unable to feel true pride in the work they do. As a consequence, they teach themselves to be content with inferior achievement.

Part of the blame for the fact that young people do not give themselves unreservedly to a chosen vocation must, I think, be ascribed to educational practices which have been followed. Instructors, both on the high school and college level, have placed a great deal of stress on the accumulation of facts—names, dates, incidents.

It is true that these basics must be mastered, but beyond this, teachers should utilize their opportunity to instill in their students the spirit and the drive which impelled the great persons of history to superlative accomplishments.

—Roberta Cronkhite

THE CHOICE IS OURS

Air Force personnel on the campus have brought with them a ceremony which should receive the cooperation and respect due it from the civilians of the College.

Every day a retreat is held at 4:30 p.m. in front of the Administration building. During this ceremony twenty-six men participate in the lowering of the flag. Five men lower the flag while the remaining twenty-one form a color guard. During this time every civilian in the vicinity should observe the rules of flag etiquette.

President Woodrow Wilson once said, "This flag, which we honor and under which we serve, is the emblem of our unity, our power, our thought and purpose as a nation. It has no character than that which we give it from generation to generation. The choices are ours. . . ."

Obedience the simple rules of flag etiquette does not require much effort. Every student should follow these rules. A much better impression of our campus would be given to others.

Northwest Missouri State is a college which is outstanding in many aspects. Let's add complete flag courtesy to this list.

—Thelma Buckley

WHEN THAT DAY COMES

If the soil is exposed, unprotected from the rains by cover and by roots, the people will be poor and the river will be muddy, heavy with the best soil of the fields. And as a consequence each year the farmers will be forced more and more to use their land in ways that speed up this cycle of ruin, until the cover and then the top soil itself are wholly gone. When that day comes, as in the great reaches of China's sorrowful Yellow River Valley, then rains run off the land almost as rapidly as water runs from the pavements. Even a moderate rainfall forces the river from its banks, and every downpour brings disastrous flood, destroying crops and homes and bridges and highways, not only where the land is poor, but down the river's length, down in the areas where people are more prosperous, where the soil is still protected and factories have been built at the river's bend. Industries and railroads will be interrupted, farms flooded out, towns and villages destroyed, while heavy silt deposits fill the power reservoirs and stop up the channels of navigation.

—David Lilienthal

Fifty State College Men Move Into Beautiful New Quadrangle Building



Men's Hall, which was begun last spring and at present houses fifty college students, completes the square of buildings at the Quadrangle. Mr. Irving S. Spigle sponsors the men who live there. The building has completely new furnishings and many conveniences, including a buzzer system in the lobby that connects with all the rooms.

From The Air

by HOWARD NIXON

The 3475th School Squadron is presenting a semi-formal dance this Friday night from 8 to 12 p.m. in rooms 113 and 114.

Students will swing and sway with Dutch Young and his six piece orchestra playing the music. The refreshment committee will serve soft drinks, potato chips, nuts, cookies, and ice cream.

Let's hope you are one of the lucky people who get to come to this FREE entertainment. Each airman gets three tickets. If you are invited as his guest just leave your money at home and come enjoy this fun making dancing party.

Christmas Leave

Believe it or not but there were 275 air men leaving for their homes at Christmas time. There were many close calls but nothing too serious happened. Out of the 275, just 271 came back. Four of the men are in the hospital for sickness or are not here for other reasons.

Air Force Jets

The Air Force Jets, coached by Ronald Miller of Knoxville, Tennessee, have had a successful basketball season this year with six wins and two losses.

Coach Miller's Jets are composed of a squad of 14 men from all parts of the United States.

The team feels that the best game was with the Southeastern Jayhawks of Iowa, in which the Jets defeated the Jayhawks 54 to 44.

When groups 26 and 28 graduate, the Jets will definitely feel the loss of James C. Snider and Daniel Mahoney of group 26, as well as Jim Hill from group 28.

Any basketball club desiring to play the Air Force Jets may arrange a game by getting in touch with Ronald Miller of group 26.

Important

Mr. R. P. Foster, registrar, requests that students who have changed majors and minors come to his office for new advisement sheets.

Seniors who will be graduated at the end of the winter quarter should report to the Registrar's office to complete blanks for graduation.

Seniors who expect to be graduated at the end of the spring quarter should see Mr. Foster in regard to having senior statements made as soon as possible after the winter quarter begins.

Garretts Get "Fishy" Package from Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Garrett have received a collection of jelly fishes, star fishes, snails, clams, and sea urchins from their daughter, Mrs. John J. Dieterich, who is now a librarian at the University of Washington, Seattle, where her husband is doing graduate work at the School of Forestry.

Mrs. Dieterich, a biology major, was graduated from Northwest Missouri State College in 1948.

Horace Mann Students Will Give Four Plays

Members of the Horace Mann Speech Class and Dramatics Club will present the following one-act plays at the Horace Mann auditorium, February 5, 7:30 p.m.—"The Florist Shop," "The Man in the Bowler Hat," "Which Is the Way to Boston," and "Cinderella Married?" Miss Dorothy Weigand is directing the plays with the help of Homer Baxter and Martin Whelan, student teachers.

Music Division Sponsors Recitals

Faculty of the Division of Music are presenting a series of recitals in Room 414 of the Administration building. The first was given Monday, January 21, by Mr. John Smay, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sandford, Mr. Gilbert Whitney, Mr. Kenneth Bird, and Miss Ruth Miller.

The next recital will be given Tuesday, February 19.

Faculty Members Attend Meeting

Dr. J. G. Strong and Mr. Myrl Long attended the meeting of the Kansas City section of the American Chemical Society held at the University of Kansas City. Dr. W. C. Fennellus of Pennsylvania State College addressed the meeting.

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Fifty Men Students Move Into Newly Completed Building

Local Telephone System and Buzzer Relay Are Impressive; Communications Are More Efficient

Men's Hall, largest and newest of the Quadrangle buildings, is now occupied. Its twenty-four rooms house fifty college men. Mr. Irving S. Spigle, of the Instructional Materials Bureau, has been placed in charge of the new building and lives in an apartment there.

Rooms in the Hall provide fine living quarters for the men. Double-deck bunk beds are provided. Each man has a personal desk and a closet, and shares with his roommate a chest of drawers.

Vet Village News

By BLAIR

Everyone came back from the Christmas vacation in good shape. At least four families were happier, because they drove in with new cars. Dick Morrison owns a new Ford; Robert Miller, a Buick; Bobby McIntyre, a Ford; and Marvin Weed, a Studebaker. Just goes to prove that St. Nick is a good sort of a guy.

Almost everyone out here went home for a while over the vacation and ate mother's good cooking again, and you can bet Mom was happy, too. In my case we drove to Georgia to visit the wife's family, and enjoyed a fine Christmas with weather of 75 degrees. Don't think it didn't take courage to come back to the ice and snow.

Mr. Artemis Lovan and family spent Christmas in Willow Springs, Arkansas.

Marvin Weed is no one to have his fish stories pooh-poohed. He informs me that the fish story he was telling a while back is now mounted and ready for the non-believer's inspection. He said it was a Wall-eye. (Whatever that is!)

"But, honest," says the old sportsman, "it's a beauty."

You will find it at Apt. 20, Vet Village. "So there," says Martin. "I guess that will hold 'em."

Maxine DeShon Returns

To Campus This Term

Maxine DeShon, who was injured in the dormitory explosion last spring, has returned to the College this quarter.

Maxine has been in the Saint Francis Hospital three times since the explosion. She spent seven weeks in the hospital the first time and returned during both July and September for skin grafting operations. Her bandages were removed the week before Homecoming.

A sophomore, Maxine is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max DeShon of Clarkdale.

Mr. Moore Attends Convention

In Chicago

Mr. Biffie Moore, of the College speech department, attended the annual convention of the Speech Association of America, December 27-29, in Chicago. While there he attended two plays, "Darkness at Noon" and "The Master Builder."

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They're Talking About . . . by Gram

Recovering from the Christmas vacation. . . Uncle Sam getting closer and closer. . . all expense tours to Kansas City. . . Bob Crockett getting in a little road work near Savannah. . . Bill Davis and Sue Bobout pinned. . . Pvt. Glenn Merideth and Jane Costello pinned. . . Elaine Hunt passing out bubble gum. . . New jewelry. . . Mary Bauman. . . Mary Schulte. . . Alice Arbuckle. . . Dorothy Noelsch. . . all sporting new diamonds. . . it looks like Cupid. . . at least some one was busy over the vacation. . .

New cheering section in the northwest balcony. . . complete with cowbell and horn. . . developing a little enthusiasm. . . letting the team know that some people appreciate their efforts. . . Pvt. Dean Knodt reminiscing about the good old days in college. . . Joe Zelenz. . . the man most likely to be succeeded. . . Don Mills and his peroxide crew cut looks like a fugitive from the Jowl Box in K. C. . . Bill Ogden spending another birthday in school. . . Mafeli's glorious sun tan. . .

The part of the wolf in the play "Noah". . . why many male members of the student body did not try out for this role. . . such excellent qualifications. . . the part goes to John Cartwright. . . is it a character role? . . . people can talk about that. . . the Air Force dance beginning to shape up. . . the Phi Sig pledge dance last Saturday night. . . western style. . . the coming Tower dance. . . boys looking over the prospective queens. . . girls looking for a king. . . the three highest will be voted on the night of the Tower formal. . .

Quill Quibblings

by Herbie Awe

Another wonderful Tower Dance is coming up again in February. At this time the selection of the Tower King and Queen will be made, an unquestionable honor for two people.

Last year those who attended the dance voted for the King and Queen; the men cast their ballot for the girl candidates, while the women made their choice of the men.

The fallacy in last year's voting was the stipulation that only students attending the dance would be allowed to vote. This method was fallible in that it was not carried through or properly defined to those attending the dance.

Indubitably the Tower Staff wishes to promote a barrage of publicity from this contest for its dance. A great idea! Its success has been proved by the many past attendances.

It is also for the promotion of the dance that voting has been limited to those attending. This is clever in its own little way. Still it is incredulous. Who considers the student who did not attend the dance but opens the College Tower he purchased and comes face to face with HIS King and Queen? And that type of student is in the majority!

One thing should be corrected. A limitation of voting to students only of those attending the dance is a virtual impossibility. A differentiation between non-students and students is a tedious task and unpropitious at a social such as the Tower dance.

If care is not given to the situation Joe Blow from Kokomo HI will vote for "his" favorite Tower King and Queen. Or in another way, the one who brings an outside date will have the power of two votes because of the date's apathetic attitude.

To undermine the Tower policy of publicity and to thwart its gate receipts is not the intention of this article. However, a more equitable selection of the students' King and Queen should be considered and developed.

A haphazard, unpublished procedure last year caused much discontent. Why is the Tower staff pursuing the same course?

Taylor Returns After Working Toward Ph. D.

This fall saw the return of Professor John S. Taylor to the campus. Professor Taylor spent last year at the University of Illinois where he completed all the in-residence course work for a Ph. D. in Sociology.

He intends to continue studying during the future summers until he completes the requirements for his Ph. D.

Mr. Taylor received his A. B. in History and Sociology from Illinois Wesleyan in 1939. In 1941 he acquired his M. A. in Sociology from the University of Illinois.

During World War II he was assigned to the Admiral's staff, Pacific Fleet Air Arm. Mr. Taylor holds a permanent full lieutenant in the Naval Reserve.

Sorry girls, but he is married and has three children, a boy 9, and two girls, 7 and 5.

Student Group Lists Questions for State

The local chapter of Future Teachers of America has recently completed a project which the state has requested of them. A list of questions to help determine teacher certification in Missouri has been formulated by a group of students under the supervision of Dr. Leon F. Miller.

Student chairmen have been as follows: Richard Bryson, natural sciences; Dee Lippincott, special subjects; Wilma Payne, language arts; Anna M. Helmhaugh, social studies.

Attend Music Convention

Mr. Gilbert Whitney, of the College music faculty, and Wilbur Wright, senior music student, attended the annual meeting of the Missouri Music Educators' Association, which was held on the campus of Southeastern Missouri State College in Cape Girardeau, January 10-12.

The Stroller

Hi again! The stroller noticed that he was not the only poor soul to suffer a premature attack of spring fever resulting from the warm weather of last week. Many students were plagued by it and the feeling directed the mind from studying for mid-terms to more dreamy thoughts.

Santa must have been very busy delivering sparklers for the third finger, left hand, over vacation. Dorothy Noelsch, Dorothy Jean McCartney, Mary Bauman and Alice Arbuckle are some of the lucky recipients. Congrats, girls!

Charlene Kime, Joan Hansen, Jane Costello, Carolyn Canon, and Sue Bobout have joined the ranks of the "pinned" group.

As fire trucks roared toward the College one morning last week, Dona Walker was heard saying that had this happened a few weeks previously, she could be certain that the red trucks were headed toward the Quad to put out the fire caused by the arrival of a letter which she sent to Walt Stanton.

Lyle Martin is not the only one who recently has been inspired (?) to write poetry. For instance an anonymous airman jotted off this little masterpiece:

The Airmen of the 3475th

Located in Northwest Missouri. . .
You sweat, you freeze, you shiver,
It's more than a man can stand—
We're not a bunch of convicts,
But defenders of our land.
We're the airmen of the 3475th
Earning our measly pay,
Guarding our country's millions,
For two and a half a day.
We lie here each night,
Dreaming of our gals,
Hoping that when we get home,
They haven't married our pals.
Few people know we're living
Few people give a—
Although we're not forgotten,
We belong to Uncle Sam.
When we get to heaven,
Saint Peter will surely yell,
They are the men from Maryville,
They've spent their time in—

What is this story that the Stroller has heard concerning Mary Ellen "Dannie" Daniels' giving back Jack Bright's ring the night of the Delta Sig "Snow Festival"?

For a fantastic cactus story, just ask Joe Collier. You will probably find it unbelievable when he tells you how a cactus, which was brought to the chemistry lab from California by Dr. J. G. Strong, "jumped" at him and the more he tried to release himself, the more involved he became until the needles of what appeared to be a docile little cactus clutched him by six fingers. The janitor, Mr. Fannon, was summoned to loose the helpless botanist.

Betty Crider wants a frat pin, preferably one from a certain Phi Sig.

Students have been busy making and breaking New Year's resolutions—some are as follows:

Bill Ogden—"I resolve to have more dates during 1952."

Vernon Clarence Asmus—"I resolve to quit letting Melvin Leroy Clothier dig me up dates. I am still trying to find out what he dug the last one out of."

Mardy Ingles—"I didn't make any; I always break them anyway."

Betty Curry—"I resolve not to make any resolutions."

Don Mills—"I resolve not to dye my hair any color but charreuse from now on."

Jane Costello—"I resolve to remember that all the gold and good things in the U. S. A. are in Fort Knox."

Kurby Lyle—"I resolve to give up smoking during 1952."

The Phi Sigs—"To be more tolerant of the Sig Taus."

The Sig Taus—"To be more tolerant of the Phi Sigs."

Peg Price—"During 1952, I resolve to learn how to spell."

A good resolution. . . To be a little more polite and considerate of fellow students. Those three little words "please" and "thank you" don't take long to say, and they make someone else feel so much better.

Ten Years Ago

It was announced that the first four rows of seats in the auditorium are to be reserved without charge for the members of the senior class to hear Mr. Max Lerner's lecture, "A Fighting Faith for America."

Defeating the Cape Girardeau Indians 38-25 puts Maryville in second place in the MIAA with two wins and no losses. Warrensburg is in first place with 3 wins and no losses.

President Lamkin has announced that he will award at commencement time, the Bibliophile prize of \$25.00 to the senior student who has collected the best library.

Plans for Religious Emphasis Week are being made for February

2, 3, and 4. Rev. Father Malachy Sullivan and Dr. Wesley Cannon will be the speakers.

A new duplicator, made by Ditto, Incorporated, has been purchased by the College.

A picture of Marine 2nd Lieut. Max J. Hochenauer recently appeared in "Under Stars and Stripes" in the St. Joseph, Mo., News-Press.

Delta Sigmas and Dates Dance at "Snow Festival"



Penguins, snow flakes, evergreens, and an igloo combine to form the theme of the annual Delta "Snow Festival" dance held at the Country Club. Left to right: Frank Babb, Jane Glenn, Harvey White, Frances Curry, Tom Foster, Marilyn Hartell, H. A. Roberson, Norma Jean McDaniel, Dale Cooper, Mary Joy Groom, Tom Steinhäuser, Jo Noble.

Cross Your Forks and Hope to Eat; It's Different in Hawaii

Following is an excerpt from a letter written by Polly Cramer Hanley to the Kappa Omicron Phi members and read at their annual Founders' Day Banquet. In it she writes of how this banquet would be if it were held in Hawaii.

Polly was married to Mr. Thomas H. Hanley last June in Honolulu, Hawaii, where they are now making their home.

"The Hawaiian banquet or luau is simply a glorified picnic. Big lau-hala mats are spread over the ground and on these are laid long wide wooden planks that serve as tables. The linen consists of banana leaves which are tacked over the whole area of planks.

"Don't look around wondering for silver (as I did) because you won't find any—it is strictly native and that means eat with your fingers as if you'd been doing it all your life.

"Down at the end of the table you see a large mound of earth. Soon the host begins to level the mound and dig several feet into the earth. There on a bed of very hot lava rocks a wild boar has been roasting the better part of the day.

"Surrounding him are large steel mesh sacks containing yams and bananas—your vegetables and fruit. The rest of the menu reads fresh salmon, pineapple, coconut, and poi, the Hawaiian substitute for bread. So far, I haven't acquired an appetite for poi, but if any of you are particularly fond of wall-paper paste you'll love it!

"Everyone at the Luau wears a Hawaiian costume. Remember to wear a pakuu, muiumu, or kimono. I wore a sarong, and sitting crosslegged on the ground for two or three hours in a tight fitting sarong is a real feat I assure you. So you see how it's done in Hawaii!"

"Snow Festival" Is Deltas Dance Idea

Delta Sigmas and their escorts danced amid the icy splendors of the annual "Snow Festival" held January 11 at the Maryville Country Club.

A huge white igloo surrounded by penguins highlighted the theme "Penguins on Parade." The orchestra was seated before a backdrop of snow-capped mountains. Evergreens covered the room completed the decorations.

Lucille Steinhäuser was mistress of ceremonies. The program included the following: Mary Joy Groom and Georgia Ann Harnes, saxophone duet; Mary Lou Moore, vocal solo; Norma Jean McDaniel, a reading; Rosetta Reed, accordion solo.

Chaperons for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. John S. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sandford, Mr. Irving Spigle, and Miss Rachael Taul. Dorothy Stanton was the general chairman for the dance. Lucille Steinhäuser headed the decoration committee. Dorothy Jean McCartney was in charge of the food committee, Mary Ellen Daniels, the band, and Treva Jo Thompson, entertainment.

Group Meets to Hear Address by ACEI Sponsor

Studying the personality of children through literature was the theme of a talk given by Miss Chloe Millikan, sponsor of the Association for Childhood Education International, at the meeting held January 13.

Included in Miss Millikan's discussion were the interests of children in literature and how their seven basic needs—security, belonging, love, achievement, knowledge, recreation, and aesthetic—can and should be satisfied through literature.

Dr. Leon Miller, chairman of the department of education, will be the guest speaker of the organization, January 28.

Kappa Phi Holds Annual Founders' Day Banquet

Kappa Omicron Phi held its annual Founders' Day Banquet in the Home Economics department, Saturday evening, December 8. The program included a Christmas grab bag exchange and a candle lighting ceremony.

Mrs. Myrl Dackin, Home Economics department supervisor, and Miss Anita Rice of the College home economics department were guests. Miss Mable Cook, Miss Anna Houston, Miss June Cozine, and Mrs. Howard Watson—alumnæ—were present.

Alphas Entertain With Annual Christmas Tea

Members of the Alpha Sigma Alpha chapter held their annual Christmas tea at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones.

Mothers of the actives and pledges were honored. Jewelry cases were given to the mothers.

The program was in charge of Audrey Bennett and Jackie and Elvalet Donaldson.

Christmas colors were carried out in the table decorations. Mrs. C. R. Bell and Mrs. F. M. Townsend, patronesses, presided at the table.

Math Club Sees Movie "Loran" at Meeting

"Loran," a system set up for long range navigation, was the subject of the movie "Loran" presented to the Mathematics Club Tuesday night, December 11.

After the movie a short discussion of the system was led by Mr. William Lafferty and George Bunch. Mr. Lafferty is acting chairman of the mathematics department, and Mr. Bunch is a former navigator of the Air Force.

Upperclassmen and Air Force Men Attend Faculty Reception

Kappa Delta Pi Has Constructive Plan For Pledge Period

Choose Delegates For Convention in March

Zeta Lambda chapter of Kappa Delta Pi held a regular meeting in Room 119 at 7 p.m. January 14. The meeting was devoted to orientation for the pledges.

A slightly new plan will become effective for these pledges. They will be required to go through a period of pledgeship before initiation. This period of pledgeship will be used for some constructive program in training in membership in Kappa Delta Pi.

Approved and Invited

The following people have been approved and invited to be pledges of Zeta Lambda chapter of Kappa Delta Pi: George Barratt, Erel Eickemeyer, Joan Hansen, Betty Martin, Louise Tobin, Dwan Wick, Lillian Witt, Carolyn Butt, Marilyn Litton, Nannette Turner, Harriet Watson, Louise Wintermute, Eddie Woltz.

Plans for the remainder of this year are being completed under the leadership of President Herbie Awe. Herschel Neil has been chosen as delegate to the national convention to be held at East Lansing, Michigan, in March. Herbie Awe was chosen as alternate.

Will Plan Programs

With the information brought back from this convention, Zeta Lambda Chapter expects to plan programs and other activities which will not only benefit the members of the chapter, but stimulate new interest and ideas throughout the student body.

The theme for this year is "To Help Professionalize the Teaching Profession." With the widespread criticism of the teaching profession, Zeta Lambda chapter is determined to help Northwest Missouri State College maintain the high standards commensurate with the ability, integrity, and high quality of the faculty and student body. Members of this chapter are confident that the teaching profession, although it faces some difficult times, will be the profession which makes the difference between an enlightened citizenry and one which lives in the darkness of totalitarian indoctrination.

Deltas Give Christmas Tea for Faculty Women

Delta Sigma held its traditional Christmas tea for faculty women, December 17, in the Browning Room of the library.

The table was decorated in the Christmas motif, and holiday refreshments of hot spiced cranberry punch, white layer cake, and glazed nuts were served. The seven senior girls—Mary Jo Winn, Jo Cutler, Betty Curry, Dorothy Jean McCartney, Mary Lou Moore, Beverly Harvey, Shirley Alden—and Miss Mabel Cook, Alpha Phi sponsor, took turns presiding at the table during the afternoon.

Committees for the tea included the following: food, Barbara Hudson; Lucille Steinhäuser, Betty Curry; table decorations, Rosetta Reed, Treva Jo Thompson, Shirley Alden; invitations, Jo Noble; Beverly Harvey, Mary Jo Winn; greeters, Agnes Steinhäuser, Norma Jean Hawkins, Mary Ellen Daniels; replenishing, Carolyn Butt, Dorothy Stanton, Dorothy Jean McCartney, Jo Taylor.

Many Students Attend Big After Game Dance

Dancing in Room 114 provided entertainment for many students following the Springfield-at-Maryville game. Bill Baker and his band provided the music. Members of the band are Bill Baker, Curt Gaffney, Allen Spies, and Charles Watson.

Beginning soon after the game, the dancing continued until midnight. All arrangements were made by the Student Senate Social Committee, composed of Herschel Neil, Max Miller, Charles Oellermann, Lucille Steinhäuser, Dean Stuck, Louise Wintermute, and George Anderson. Misses Irene Mueller and Violet Hunter were chaperones.

Rika Talks to Lions Club

Rika Sweringa, College student from Holland, gave a talk to the Westboro Lions Club January 14 at Westboro, Missouri. She talked about her homeland, stressing the government and agriculture aspects. Mr. George Gayler accompanied her on the trip.

Upper classmen and Air Force personnel were invited to attend a faculty reception at the President's home last night from 8 until 10 p.m.

President and Mrs. J. W. Jones, Dean and Mrs. W. A. Brandenburg, and LL and Mrs. Thaddeus A. Wagner were to receive the guests.

Mrs. M. E. Ford and Miss Chloe E. Millikan were to preside at the tea table.

Mr. Harold Neece and Mr. Sterling Surrey were to greet guests at the door, after which Sgt. I. R. Craft, Miss Martha Locke, and Mr. Lon E. Wilson would introduce them to the receiving line.

Other hosts and hostesses were Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Foster, Miss Mabel Cook, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Sowards, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Davis, Lt. and Mrs. Cletus T. Pajot, Mr. and Mrs. Biffie Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn K. DeVore, Mr. and Mrs. John Smay, Mr. Ralph E. Fulson, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Bird, Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Grayson, Miss Lucille Brumbaugh, and Mr. Irving S. Spigle.

Mrs. Everett Brown and Mrs. Ted Hochanauer were in charge of refreshments. Those assisting in serving were Mrs. Harold Neece, Mrs. Virginia Coe Hamman, Mrs. Sterling Surrey, Miss Rachael Taul, Mrs. L. E. Craft, Miss Irene Mueller, Miss Doris Hysler, Mrs. Lon E. Wilson, and Miss Violet Hunter.

Thirty-Seven Girls Pledge Tri-Sigma

Two sets of twins, Judith and Joan Eltzen, Farragut, Iowa, and Alma and Avis Murrell, Albany, and two sisters, Norma and Elizabeth Cushman, Maryville, were among thirty-seven girls who pledged Sigma Sigma Sigma, December 12.

Others included Jean Anderson, Essex, Iowa; Irene Schmitz, Parnell; Jerry Ideker, Craig; Charlotte Huntsman, Betty Crider, Mizella Lemar, Maitland; Phyllis Standlen, King City; Elayne Dyer, Forbes; Ramona Sommer, Lucille Hunzinger, Neva Pullen, Oregon.

Bonnie Henderson, Carrollton, Iowa; Marce Dick, Carol Tudder, Maryville; Dixie Morehouse, Pickering; Dona Walker, Gentry; Cherie Churchill, Sheridan; Rosary Richardson, Stanberry; Betty Taylor, Union Star; Marlene Schippers, Pleasantville, Iowa.

Violet Casey, Kent, Iowa; Joyce Osburn, Skidmore; Carolyn Wineinger, Dexter, Iowa; Evelyn Shalene, Richland Center, Wis.; Beverly Collins, Cameron; Adris McNeal, Fairfax; Mary Ann Ford, Lenox, Iowa; Wilma Payne, Clarinda, Iowa; Fat McCray, St. Joseph; and Dixie Newman, Pattonburg.

The pledge class elected officers as follows: Dixie Morehouse, president; Dona Walker, vice president; Marce Dick, secretary; and Irene Schmitz, treasurer.

The pledges have begun their pledge study and are planning a "Sock Dance" in honor of the actives.

Peppers Entertain Fans With Marching Routine

During the half-time of the Maryville vs. Springfield basketball game on the home court, the Peppers entertained with a marching routine. Katie McMillen was the stunt chairman.

Before the game the Peppers had a chili supper at the dining hall of the Men's Quad.

Table decorations were in green and white. Green megaphones were used as candle coverings. Stuffed bears were banded to illustrate the Springfield Bears. Maryville pennants completed the decorations.

Plans are being made by the Peppers to visit Kirksville when the Bearcats meet them on February 15.

Biological Department To Get New Equipment

Much progress has been made in the remodeling of the biological sciences department. The new laboratory will contain new microscope cases and better facilities in general are planned for the student.

Instructors, too, will benefit from the remodeling as Mr. W. T. Garrett and Dr. Irene Mueller will have new offices.

Sandfords Visit McNutts

Mr. and Mrs. Donald H. Sandford visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. McNutt at their home in Portales, New Mexico, during Christmas. Dr. McNutt was formerly head of the music department on the campus.

While there, the Sandfords gave a recital at Eastern New Mexico University, where Dr. McNutt is now head of the music department.

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She Becomes Sigma Taus' Own Rose



Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity men turned out en masse to pay tribute to a girl who had received a pin from their brother. Each girl was presented with a white rose and the fraternity sang "The Rose of Sigma Tau." Left to right: Vernon Asmus, Richard Winburn, John Lindell, Don Corbin, Henrietta Hoffmeister, John Koffman, Carolyn Canon, Jo Ann Lynch.

Student-Faculty Committee Again Gets Activated

Newly re-activated after several years of comparative inactivity, the Student-Faculty Affairs Committee is again functioning. The group is comprised of Miss Hattie Houp, Miss Martha Locke, and Mr. John Taylor from the faculty, and Dean Baskover, Betty Curry, Marty Ingels, Mary Ellen Daniels, Harriet Watson, Johnny Carlson, and Lyle Martin.

The committee has no active power regarding change in curriculum or other activities, but has as its purpose the discussion and study of campus regulations. Conclusions reached are forwarded to the Student Senate for further discussion and approval. Final decision on matters brought before the group is not to be borne by this committee or by the Student Senate, but will rest in students or faculty affected and with the administration.

Any student or faculty member having suggestions that might benefit the campus is encouraged to present his ideas.

Alpha Sigmas Accept Twenty-Six Info Group

Twenty-six girls have been pledged into the Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority.

They are Barbara Beaver, Elvalet and Jacky Donaldson, Mary Jane Espey, Mary Jane Kurtz, Joan Williams, and Helen Zimmerman, Maryville.

Sue Bebout, Jean Creager, Geraldine Struck, and Patricia Thompson, Dexter, Iowa; Frances Cross, Lois Marley, Bedford, Iowa; Mary Jane Aiken, Randolph, Iowa; Patricia Blair, Rosendale, Mo.; Sue Cole, Maitland.

Patsy Davison, Gravity, Iowa; Louise M. Gell, St. Joseph; Evelyn Hillman, Shenandoah, Iowa; Patricia McCoy, Tarkio; Dolores Murphy, Villisca, Iowa; Shirley Nelson, Hatfield, Mo.; Betty Nazarene, Red Oak, Iowa; Marilyn Pippitt, Glenwood, Iowa; Beatrice Straight, Fairfax; Nadyne Crockett, Albany.

Hineckley Teaches at Barton

Theodore Charles "Ted" Hineckley, a graduate of the College, recently wrote the social science department that he is studying for his master's degree at the University of Kansas City by attending night classes. Ted teaches at Barton High School in Kansas City during the day.

Engagement Is Announced

The engagement of Phyllis Stevens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Stevens, of Grant City, to Mr. Keith Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Adams, of Carrollton, has been announced by her parents.

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Classes Elect New Student Senators

Seven Are Chosen In Winter Quarter Vote

Three seniors, two juniors, one sophomore, and one freshman were chosen as student senators in an election held in the Bearcat Lounge during the first week of winter quarter.

Mary Belle Bast
Mary Belle Bast, Dexter, Iowa, was elected a two-term senior senator. She is majoring in biology and chemistry. She belongs to Kappa Omicron Phi, Independent Club, and Student Christian Association.

Maxine DeShon
Maxine DeShon, Stewartsville, took office as a three-term sophomore senator. Her major is music and her minor is speech. She belongs to Sigma Sigma Sigma and Barkatze.

Calvin Goeders
Calvin Goeders, Mason City, Iowa, became a one-term junior senator. He is majoring in chemistry and minor in physics. He belongs to Phi Sigma Epsilon and has participated in tennis competition.

Marjorie Lewis
Marjorie Lewis, one-term senior senator from Cameron, is a member of Kappa Delta Pi, Sigma Sigma Sigma, Art Club, and Student Christian Association. Her major is art and her minor is English.

Oretta Knipmeyer
Oretta Knipmeyer, one-term senior senator from Alma, has for her major social science, and for her minors, history and sociology. She belongs to Independent Club, Student Christian Association, Future Teachers of America, and Barkatze.

Max Miller
Max Miller, Graham, three-term junior senator, is a member of Phi Sigma Epsilon and Agriculture Club. His major is agriculture and his minor is economics.

Louise Novinger
Louise Novinger, Gravity, has been elected a three-term freshman senator. Louise, who is an elementary major, belongs to Independent Club, Dramatics Club, and Barkatze.

Other senators have already given much valuable service to the student body this year, notably the remodeling of the smoker. They are as follows: Dick Gordon, president; Jean Long, vice president; Jo Ann Cutler, secretary; Martha Ingels, Herschel Neil, Stan Ogden, Lucille Steinhäuser, Beatrice Straight, and John Yurchak.

Strongs Spend Christmas Vacation in California

Dr. and Mrs. J. Gordon Strong spent their Christmas vacation in California. Dr. Strong is chairman of the division of science and mathematics.

Some points of interest which they visited were Fort Worth and El Paso, Texas; Carlsbad, New Mexico; Tucson and Yuma, Arizona; San Diego and Long Beach, California. In California they visited relatives at Long Beach and Sherman Oaks.

On their return trip they visited the Salt River Canyon in Arizona and the National Forest. While in Fortales, New Mexico, they visited at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Paul McNutt, former chairman of the music department of the College.

APO Has Initiation

The Beta Chapter of Alpha Phi Omega held its formal initiation, December 18, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Myrl Long, for the following pledges: Jim Roberts, Dick Pistole, Dick Willis, Charley Davis, Floyd Trumbo and Allan Hendrop. After the ceremony refreshments were served by Mrs. Long.

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Bearcats Meet Rolla and Cape in Week End Tilts

These Conference Contests May Indicate Later MIAA Standings

Recent Games Tend to Give Maryville Favorite Role; Two Opponents Lack Winning Punch

Coast Don Peterson's Maryville Bearcats, with an even break in their first two conference games, face rugged going this week end when they play hosts to Rolla and Cape Girardeau, Friday and Saturday nights. The Bearcats need to win both ball games to stay in the running for conference honors.

The Rolla team that will appear here Friday night is coached by Dewey Allgood, who was assistant here in 1949. This is his second year as head coach of the Miners, and his season has not been too promising.

Lacking material, Allgood has copped only two wins in eleven games played to date. The Miners defeated Harris Teachers College and Cape.

Sparkplug of the Miners attack is Earl Faulker, a talented forward who has maintained a 12 point average in scoring. Gene Huffman, better known as a football player, does a good job on the basketball court and will bear close watching.

Cape Has Good Team
Cape Girardeau, coached by John Adams, has one of their best teams in years. The Indians at the present time are going along at a fast clip and have won one while losing two in league competition.

Back from last year's team that provided the 1951 Maryville team with an entertaining game are Ray Estes, Percy Clippard, Bill Manns, Ted Henderson, and Jerry Wilson. Estes, who was named to the second all conference team last season is the team's outstanding performer. A steady floor man and better than average shot, Ray is one of the league's best guards.

Coach Has Veteran Line-up
Against this rugged opposition, Coach Peterson will stick with an all-veteran line-up. Chuck Ramsey, Dick Buckridge, Kirby Lyle, George Coulter, and George Nathan are all better men and probable starters.

Buckridge, injured in the Springfield game, is back in shape again to spark the Bearcat attack. Before his injury Dick was averaging 14 points a game and his shooting enabled the Bearcats to maintain their present pace.

Reserves May See Action
Reserves slated to see heavy action include Bill Baldwin, Larry Belt, Ono Monachino, Bob Wright, John Yurchak, and John Garner. The freshmen team will play preliminaries both nights, so students will have a chance to watch some of Maryville's future varsity players in action.

"Small Fry" View College Activities

How do the College and its activities look to the "small fry" of the grade school? Thirty-two pupils from grades two to eight of the Grandview Consolidated school at McFall in Gentry County who visited here recently found it quite awe-inspiring.

When Mr. James Johnson, College librarian, escorted them through the library, they were surprised to find that students were allowed to walk among the stacks and choose the book they wanted, for in their own school library, they must ask for the book of their choice.

At the Industrial Arts building, the pupils were shown the impressive Bearcat which won the I. A. Club a first prize in the recent homecoming parade.

During their tour of the Administration Building the pupils visited the Northwest Missourian office where each one received a copy of the latest issue of the paper.

The students visited Horace Mann and ate a basket lunch in the school dining room. Their teachers, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Roberts, and the following adults accompanied the pupils: Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Boone, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Gossett, Mrs. Chester Burks, and Mr. Ivan Welch.

Cooper and Bryson Head Discussions for Club

Dr. D. M. Cooper of the physical science department presented a discussion on "Modern High Voltage Generators" at the second meeting of the Mathematics Club. Richard Bryson led a discussion of the calendar, its history and its possible future. During the short business meeting officers were elected. They are as follows: president, Dwan Wick; vice president, Ray Espey; treasurer, Richard Bryson; secretary, Marilyn Jean Litton; reporter, George W. Barratt.

Marilyn Van Hoozer, who received her B. S. in elementary education in the summer of 1951, is now teaching in the Keokuk, Iowa, school system.

Bear and Mule Cagers to Meet At Springfield

The Springfield Bears and the Warrensburg Mules will meet in an all-important MIAA basketball game this week.

The game, second between the Bears and Mules this season, will be played at Springfield Wednesday. It will go a long way toward determining the conference champion. Springfield, which won the title last year, got the jump on Warrensburg by beating the Mules 60-56 at Warrensburg on Jan. 5. Springfield also has whipped Maryville and Kirksville for a 3-0 league record.

Warrensburg also has three conference victories, having defeated Rolla twice and Cape Girardeau once, but has the loss to Springfield against it.

Here's the schedule for the week:
Tuesday—Cape Girardeau at Southern Illinois (Carbondale).

Wednesday—Warrensburg at Springfield.

Friday—Rolla at Maryville.

Saturday—Cape Girardeau at Maryville, Rolla at Kirksville, Central (Payette) at Warrensburg.

Standings:

M. I. A. A. STANDINGS	W	L	Pct.	PP	OP
Springfield	3	0	1.000	158	137
Warrensburg	3	1	.750	261	189
Kirksville	1	1	.500	62	67
Cape Girardeau	1	2	.333	190	205
Rolla Mines	1	3	.250	218	279
Maryville	0	2	.000	84	96

Letter Club Holds Big Dance Saturday

Following the Cape Girardeau basketball game which will be played in the College gym at 8 p.m., January 26, the "M" Club will sponsor an all school dance to be held in rooms 113 and 114 from 10 p.m. to 1 a.m.

One of three girls who have been nominated by the active members will be presented to the dancers at intermission as "M" Club Queen.

Music for the dance which the members hope to make an annual affair will be furnished by Ray Murrell's orchestra.

All former members of the "M" Club have been extended invitations to attend the dance. The price per couple is \$1.00 and tickets may be purchased at the door.

Miss Frances Urban Is Colhecon Club Guest

Miss Frances Urban, field secretary of the American Home Economics Association, was a guest of Colhecon at the January 14 meeting. Miss Urban is from the national office in Washington, D. C.

Miss Urban explained to the club the workings of the American Home Economics Association and showed slides of Colhecon Clubs in action. Prior to the meeting Miss Urban was guest of honor at a tea given by Dr. June Cozine in the home economics department. Officers of Colhecon and home economic staff members gave a buffet supper in her honor at the Home Management House.

Two New Teachers

Mrs. Joyce Heck Lyle and Mrs. Lenora Holbrook Dawson are employed at the College to teach the Air Force. Both attended the College and were graduated in 1949. They were members of the Delta Sigma Epsilon sorority.

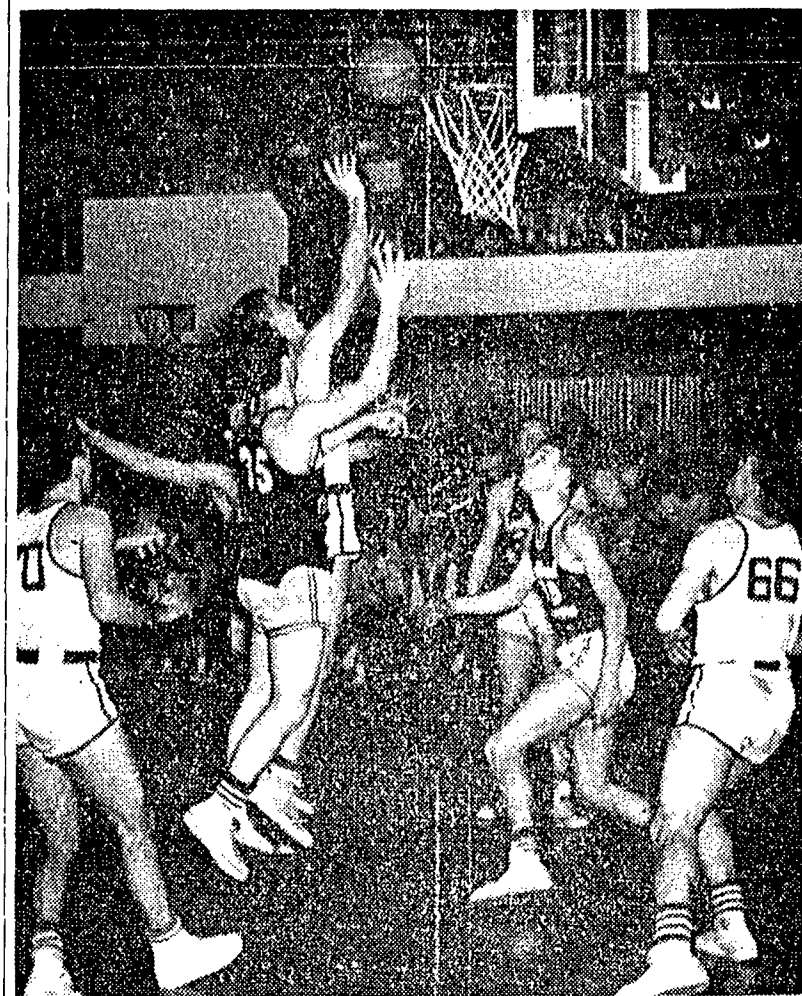
Artillery Officer Has Had a Year's Service

Major N. D. McGinnis, operations officer in the fire-direction center of the 58th field artillery battalion of the 3rd division, recently completed a year's service in Korea. The major is a graduate of Washington High School, Maryville. He also attended Northwest Missouri State College for two years.

The Ronald Woods Visit Campus
Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Wood visited the campus recently on their way to the Ozarks for a vacation. Since his graduation from the College in 1950, Mr. Wood has been employed by the American Can Company in Hoofton, Illinois.

Genetics Text Is New
"Genetics" by A. M. Winchester will be the new text for the genetics class next quarter. Considerable emphasis is placed on human heredity although studies in the heredity of animals are used as a background.

Avid Struggle of "Mixed Emotions"



George Coulter expresses earnest determination in his successful endeavor to sink a basket for the Bearcats against the powerful Pittsburg Gorillas. Maryville went on to win 56-45. Left to right are Larry Belt, Number 20, Jim Murphy, 35; George Coulter, shooting; Jack Trogden, partially hidden; Bill Lea, 39; and Charles Ramsey, 66.

Intramural Program Provides Sport for Quarter Highlight

With mid term hustle the college intramural program last week initiated basketball into its ranks for another year.

This year the basketball tourney will be divided into Blue and Red divisions. In the Blue group will go all the "A" teams, while "B" quintets go into the Red division. Both groups will play a round-robin tournament to decide the winners.

New Head

Coach Ryland Milner has taken over the responsibility as the new Intramural Commission chairman, which was vacated by Coach Don Peterson, who is devoting all his time to coaching the varsity basketball team.

Even though the position has changed hands, the entire program will be operated on the same basic plan set up by the Intramural Commission.

Hot Tourney

Last Tuesday evening at 4:00 found the Charles Oellermann and Paul Tobin "A" teams fighting for first round honors. The final score was 32 to 31 in favor of Oellermann's five.

This game was followed by a tilt in which Roger Grunwald's five crushed Kirby Lyle's quintet 47 to 35 in another "A" game.

The only team to outlast the first round battles was Marvin Weed's Group 5. The Cornpickers won both their games in the initial round.

Cooperation Needed

"To make the tourney function as it should, full cooperation will be needed by every male student who wants to participate," asserted Walt Stanton, commission member, at the last meeting of the Intramural Commission.

The Northwest Missourian has taken on the added responsibility of computing the statistics of intramural activities in regard to high scorers, team standings, etc., which is a primary duty of the Intramural Commission.

The policy adopted by the Commission does not include the computation of these figures, but this paper will keep the students and players "up to date" on intramural statistics.

Blue Division

Team	W	L
Team I	1	1
Team II	1	1
Team III	1	1
Team IV	1	1
Team V	2	0
Team VI	1	1
Team VII	1	1
Team VIII	1	1

Kirkbride Is Serving With Eighth Infantry

Lieutenant Colonel Max V. Kirkbride is now serving with the Eighth Infantry Division at Fort Jackson, South Carolina. He is commanding officer of the Specialist Training Regiment which gives training courses to military personnel. Lieutenant Colonel Kirkbride received a Bachelor of Science degree from Northwest Missouri State College in 1940.

Pink or Blue for You?

Blue slips are given for excellent or superior work (E or S) and pink slips are given for inferior or unsatisfactory work (I or U).

Kirksville Employs Stalling Tactics to Outscore Bearcats

Bulldogs Play Conservative Against Scurrying Maryville Team to Grab 35-30 Conference Win

Connecting only 12 times from the field and converting only six out of 16 free throws the Maryville Bearcats were defeated by Kirksville 35-30 last Friday night in an important MIAA attraction at the College Gymnasium.

Coach Don Peterson's Cats who played their worst game of the season were colder than a "Westinghouse Deep Freeze". In the first half the Green and White missed set-ups and free throws that they shouldn't have. The second half while still sluggish at least saw some improvement in free throw shooting. During this period the locals connected on four out of five free throws but couldn't find the basket making only four field goals out of 36 attempts.

Kirksville playing slow ball-control stalled the final six and one-half minutes of play and the Cats couldn't break it up. Willard Sims who topped the Bulldogs in scoring with eight points put on a brilliant dribbling exhibition during this period.

The game was the roughest played on the local court this season. Both teams were ragged and loose in their ball handling and the shooting was even worse. Kirby Lyle and George Nathan shared high-point honors for the home forces with nine apiece.

BOX SCORE

Kirksville (35)	Maryville (30)
G F T P	G F T P
Collins 0 2 0	Buckridge 2 0 2
Haftner 2 3 3	Lyle 4 1 4
Lawrence 3 0 4	Nathan 4 1 4
Sims 3 2 3	Coulter 0 0 5
Cifer 1 0 2	Ramsey 1 2 3
Comback 2 1 3	Belt 0 0 1
Coper 1 2 3	Monachino 0 1 2
Crafton 0 0 2	Garner 1 0 2
Dabney 1 0 2	Baldwin 0 0 3
	Yurchak 0 1 1
	Wright 0 0 2
Totals 19 22 22	Totals 12 6 29

Score by periods:
Kirksville 10 18 34 35
Maryville 7 16 23 30

Opposite Sex Will Vote High Three as Finalists

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Peck, Betty Eisminger, food; Louise Wintermute, Mary Jane Peck, invitations; Betty Reeves, publicity, Chairman over all is Joe E. Collier, business manager of the Tower. Mr. Howard Ringold is sponsor of the annual.

Also helping with the dance is the social committee sponsored by Miss Martha Locke. Members of this committee are as follows: Herschel Neil, Max Miller, Lucille Steinhauer, Louise Wintermute, Charles Oellermann, Dean Stuck and George Anderson.

Tickets for the dance may be purchased from any member of the Tower Staff and social committee, for \$1.50 per couple.

Up-to-Date Individual Player Summaries

	G	FGM	FGA	%	FTM	FTA	%	PTS	AVG.
Dick Buckridge	10	54	167	32	22	37	60	130	13
Geo. Nathan	11	42	117	37	36	48	75	120	10.9
Chas. Ramsey	10	24	83	29	12	19	63	60	6
Kirby Lyle	7	15	43	35	20	30	66	50	7.1
Geo. Coulter	11	17	47	36	23	47	49	57	5.2
Bob Wright	11	16	35	46	1	4	25	33	3.0
Larry Belt	11	23	65	37	7	16	44	53	4.8
John Yurchak	8	5	9	56	3	6	50	13	1.6
R. Grunwald	8	4	8	50	4	7	57	12	1.5
John Garner	11	5	25	20	1	0	00	10	1.8
Frank Yurchak	5	4	11	40	0	0	00	7	1.8
O. Monachino	8	0	13	00	8	14	57	8	1.0
Total for Others	11	6	24	20	3	14	21	15	1.4
Team Totals	11	215	647	33	140	242	58	608	55.3

REBOUNDS

	Offense	Defense
Coulter	45	41
Nathan	27	48
Ramsey	16	23
Buckridge	11	24
Belt	17	18
Others	62	51
Team Total	178	202

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Random Shots

By BOB KARIGER

Much action in sports... varsity and intramural activity in full swing... although Don Palmer seems to be looking for some... If the Pittsburg game is any indication.

Coach Don Peterson has adopted a new "memory device"... with the able assistance of Mr. Irving Spigle, "Pete" utters many sentences into a tape recorder... a convenient way to note mishaps or accomplishments.

Seems George Coulter is mentioned often... "Don't hook your left hand, George"... embarrassing moments during the re-listening.

Great anxiety reigned over the College the night Dick Buckridge tripped in mid-air over a Springfield man... although serious complications could have developed, "Buck" came from beneath the x-rays physically fit.

With a fourteen point average, needless to say there was much concern when Dick was ineligible for play against Pittsburg... Larry Belt, however, filled the bill... he substituted for a contribution of fifteen points.

"Buck" did not appear on the court last Tuesday night... but he became a celebrity over the air through an interview with KFEQ's announcer. Letters from ten different states had been received by the station in regard to Dick's injury.

Dick passed along the good word that he would play against Kirksville... modestly acknowledged that he was high scorer for the Bearcats... when asked about the draft, he gave a plug for the Marine Corps... as a member of the Platoon Leader's Class, he will be able to complete school... George Coulter and Don Palmer are also in the program.

Kirby Lyle, outstanding guard last year, did not report for basketball play until after Christmas vacation... his value to the team is evident in that he has played in every game this year as a first-stringer.

Spectators were pleasantly surprised when Maryville trotted out onto the floor for the first home game... no more did they wear those horrible spectacles mistakenly called basketball uniforms... instead they were attired in conservative uniforms, green striped... no more of that vertical stuff.

Spirited play in intramurals going at full speed... southwest Iowa coached by Dean Stuck seems to be the team to beat... St. Joseph's aggregation, the "Belt Hi-way Five" offers stiff competition... Kansas City represented by "Pop" Hemenway and his sons, Durham and Stevens... Punkin Center led by Dean Lundy, Plum the Plummer, and Bruno Oskerson... "The Foreign Legion," coached by George Haws and starring "Hook" Hogan and "Dead-Eye" Awe... for plenty of action, good (?) basketball, and lots of laughs, it might be worth the price of admission (two jelly beans) to see these stars in action.

Maryville Bearcats—"Watch 'Em Go"

NAME	HOME TOWN	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR
*Dick Buckridge, Burl Jct.	G	5-10	150	21	Jr.	
Larry Belt, Jefferson City	F	6-2	175	19	Jr.	
*George Coulter, Stockton, Cal.	G	6-4	190	21	Jr.	
John Garner, Winston, Mo.	G	6-2	185	19	Fr.	
Bill Baldwin, Maryville	F	6-0	180	18	Fr.	
*Kurdy Lyle, Maryville	G	5-10	165	22	So.	
Ono Monachino, Elba, N. Y.	C	6-3 1/2	185	17	Fr.	
*Geo. Nathan, San Francisco	F	6-0	175	25	So.	
Bill Norton, Kendall, N. Y.	G	5-10	170	21	So.	
Don Palmer, Maryville	F	6-2	190	19	So.	
*Chuck Ramsey, Hopkins	F	6-2	180	22	So.	
Bob Wilcoxson, Lamoni, Ia.	C	6-6	180	20	So.	
Bob Wright, New Hampton	F	5-10	160	18	Fr.	
Frank Yurchak, K. City, Kas.	G	5-9	160	18	Fr.	
*John Yurchak, K. City, Kas.	G	6-0	185	22	So.	
Byron Foster, Coffey, Mo.	F	6-0	175	19	So.	
Roger Grunwald, St. Joseph	G	6-0	180	24	So.	

*Indicates Lettermen.

UMT Will Be Topic Of AAUP Meeting

Universal Military Training will be the discussion topic at the meeting of the American Association of University Professors meeting, tomorrow night. The meeting, scheduled to be held in the home economics lounge, should prove interesting, since all members of the faculty are expected to be present to express their opinions.

A. A. U. P. groups all over the country are polling their ideas of this important issue. A conclusion will be reached by each group and forwarded to the national office. Dean W. A. Brandenburg and Dr. John Harr have been chosen to lead the discussion which will cover Universal Military Training and its possible effects of the individual, the school, and the whole national setup.

Mrs. C. D. Bussey, the former Wilma Watkins, is now living in Denver, Colorado, where her husband is employed.

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